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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Takeo TANAAMI et al.**

Art Unit: **1744**

Application Number: **10/716,417**

Examiner: **Nathan Andrew Bowers**

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 6, 2008

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response. A Notice of Appeal was filed on May 9, 2008. A one-month extension is requested from July 9, 2008 to August 9, 2008.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$630.00 cover the Appeal Brief fee (\$510) and for the cost of the extension of time (\$120). If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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